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For: SWITCHING GAS DAMPER FOR LOW-VOLTAGE POWER
CIRCUIT BREAKERS

STATUS INQUIRY

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Sir:

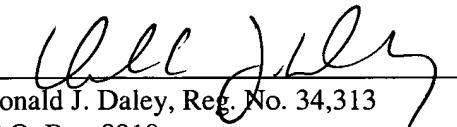
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